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TI - (A) Mask apparatus
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IN - (A) SCARBERRY EUGENE N (US); HANDKE PATRICK M (US)
AP - US28800594 19940809 [1994US-0288005]
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STG - (A) United States patent
AB - A method and apparatus for treating obstructive sleep apnea and
other disorders by the novel application of pressure varying from
ambient pressure to external portions of a patient's neck, and a
novel breathing mask and seal apparatus.

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RESPIRONICS INC. 1001 MURRY RIDGE DRIVE MURRYSVILLE,, PENNSYLVANIA
15668-855 * SCARBERRY, EUGENE N. : 19960607; HANDKE, PATRICK M. :
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PN - US 5222478 A 19930629 [US5222478]
TI - APPARATUS FOR APPLICATION OF PRESSURE TO A HUMAN BODY
IN - SCARBERRY EUGENE N [US]; HANDKE PATRICK M [US]
PA - SCARBERRY EUGENE N [US]; HANDKE PATRICK M [US]

AP - US 895225/92-A 19920608 [1992US-0895225]
PR - US 412627/89-B1 19890927 [1989US-0412627]
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PATRICK M. : 19960328

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PN - US 5343878 A 19940906 [US5343878]
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IN - SCARBERRY EUGENE N [US]; HANDKE PATRICK M [US]; SANDERS MARK H [US]
PA - RESPIRONICS INC [US]
AP - US 69739/93-A 19930601 [1993US-0069739]
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RESPIRONICS INC. 1001 MURRAY RIDGE DRIVE MURRYSVILLE, PA
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: 19930513; SANDERS, MARK H. : 19930513

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IN - SCARBERRY EUGENE N [US]; HANDKE PATRICK M [US]
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PATRICK M. : 19960607

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